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HOT JOBS TO 2016

LOCAL WORKFORCE INVESTMENT AREA (LWIA) 4

LWIA 4: Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Cumberland, Loudon, Monroe, Morgan, Roane and Scott counties

Finding a career with a future is easier if you know what to look for. Good information on jobs and how to get them is available from school counselors, Tennessee Career Centers, private companies, and the Internet. Learning about education, training, and

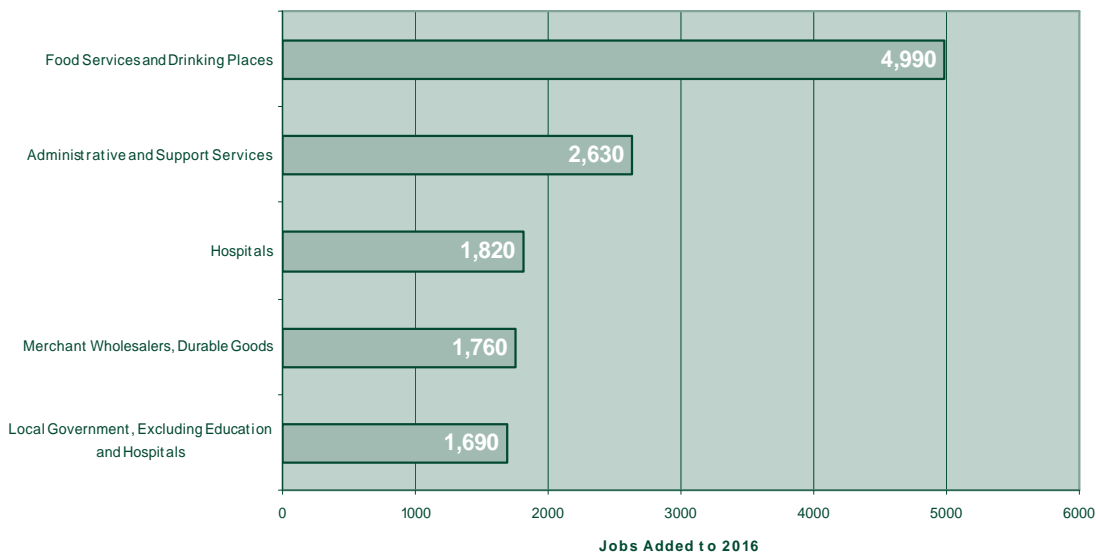
experience requirements will also get you closer to the job you want. Publications like this one will aid you in your search as well.

The industries and careers listed in this newsletter were chosen because they offer some of the best and most numerous job opportunities that will be available in this area for the next seven years. The information on average pay was taken from the Occupational

Employment Survey that Tennessee conducts twice each year.

The chart below lists the five industries that are expected to see the greatest amount of growth through 2016 in this part of the state. On pages two and three you'll find data on job opportunities and the training they require. See page four for local career center and Internet addresses to help you find a job, career, or training.

High Growth Industries 2006-2016 in LWIA 4



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For further information and the latest updated information, please access
The Source Web site at
www.sourcetn.org

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More than a Bachelor's Degree

Title	Average Annual Wage	Average Annual Openings	Job Outlook
General and Operations Managers	\$66,100	100	Very Good
Lawyers	\$119,000	20	Favorable
Pharmacists	\$100,700	20	Excellent
Sales Managers	\$71,400	20	Favorable
Financial Managers	\$59,300	20	Very Good
Administrative Services Managers	\$51,400	20	Very Good
Family and General Practitioners	\$143,300	10	Very Good
Agents and Business Managers of Artists, Performers, and Athletes	\$108,000	10	Very Good
Computer and Information Systems Managers	\$87,300	10	Very Good
Medical and Health Services Managers	\$60,900	10	Very Good

Bachelor's Degree

Title	Average Annual Wage	Average Annual Openings	Job Outlook
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	\$40,700	130	Excellent
Accountants and Auditors	\$46,300	40	Very Good
Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Vocational Education	\$40,600	40	Favorable
Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Vocational Education	\$42,700	30	Favorable
Insurance Sales Agents	\$30,900	30	Excellent
Computer Systems Analysts	\$82,100	20	Very Good
Industrial Engineers	\$70,700	20	Very Good
Kindergarten Teachers, Except Special Education	\$41,100	20	Excellent
Special Education Teachers, Preschool, Kindergarten, and Elementary School	\$39,600	20	Excellent
Cost Estimators	\$61,900	10	Very Good

Associate Degree or Post-Secondary Vocational Training

	Average Annual Wage	Average Annual Openings	Job Outlook
Registered Nurses	\$49,800	120	Excellent
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	\$31,100	70	Favorable
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	\$30,100	60	Excellent
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	\$30,000	30	Favorable
Radiologic Technologists and Technicians	\$52,200	20	Excellent
Computer Support Specialists	\$41,000	20	Very Good
Dental Hygienists	\$61,100	10	Favorable
Diagnostic Medical Sonographers	\$56,200	10	Favorable
Physical Therapist Assistants	\$43,600	10	Favorable
Respiratory Therapists	\$41,700	10	Favorable

Work Experience in Related Occupations

Title	Average Annual Wage	Average Annual Openings	Job Outlook
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	\$45,400	70	Excellent
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Retail Sales Workers	\$31,900	70	Excellent
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Office and Administrative Support Workers	\$36,700	60	Excellent
Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	\$30,300	60	Excellent
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Non-Retail Sales Workers	\$64,600	30	Excellent
Food Service Managers	\$40,600	30	Excellent
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Technical and Scientific Products	\$71,800	20	Excellent
Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers	\$62,900	20	Very Good
Industrial Production Managers	\$74,200	10	Very Good
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Police and Detectives	\$53,900	10	Very Good

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Long Term On-the-Job Training

Title	Average Annual Wage	Average Annual Openings	Job Outlook
Machinists	\$37,700	50	Excellent
Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	\$28,700	30	Excellent
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	\$40,400	20	Very Good
Water and Liquid Waste Treatment Plant and System Operators	\$35,800	20	Excellent
Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines	\$35,500	20	Excellent
Automotive Body and Related Repairers	\$33,800	20	Excellent
Fire Fighters	\$29,000	20	Very Good
Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers	\$53,600	10	Very Good
Millwrights	\$48,800	10	Very Good
Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers	\$47,300	10	Very Good

Moderate Term On-the-Job Training

Title	Average Annual Wage	Average Annual Openings	Job Outlook
Truck Drivers, Heavy and Tractor-Trailer	\$34,300	140	Excellent
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	\$30,400	30	Excellent
Painters, Construction and Maintenance	\$30,200	30	Excellent
Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic	\$32,700	20	Excellent
Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	\$31,500	20	Excellent
Dental Assistants	\$28,300	20	Very Good
Cargo and Freight Agents	\$42,200	10	Very Good
Advertising Sales Agents	\$38,200	10	Favorable
Hazardous Materials Removal Workers	\$32,200	10	Very Good
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	\$31,300	10	Very Good

Short Term On-the-Job Training

Title	*Average Annual Wage	Average Annual Openings	Job Outlook
Retail Salespersons	\$20,400	180	Excellent
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	\$14,000	180	Excellent
Office Clerks, General	\$25,700	130	Excellent
Teacher Assistants	\$16,800	90	Excellent
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	\$16,200	80	Excellent
Receptionists and Information Clerks	\$22,400	70	Excellent
Child Care Workers	\$14,900	60	Excellent
Food Preparation Workers	\$17,400	50	Excellent
Security Guards	\$23,800	40	Excellent
Cooks, Fast Food	\$13,900	40	Excellent

*These wages are below the median wage of \$28,000 for the area

Declining Occupations

Title	Annual Rate of Decline	2006 Estimated Employment	2016 Projected Employment	Net Change
Sewing Machine Operators	-2.4%	1400	1100	-300
Electricians	-1.8%	1080	900	-180
Chemical Equipment Operators and Tenders	-2.1%	920	750	-170
Mechanical Engineers	-5.6%	380	210	-170
Secretaries, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	-0.8%	2220	2050	-170

All jobs listed, except those in the category "Declining Occupations," are expected to provide good employment opportunities and good wages in this area. Additional up-to-date information on these and other good jobs, for all areas of the state, can be found at www.sourcetrn.org.



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Key Internet Resources

Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce
Development

www.tn.gov/labor-wfd

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[www.tn.gov/labor-wfd/outlooks/
select.htm](http://www.tn.gov/labor-wfd/outlooks/select.htm)

Wages for more than 700 occupations

[www.tn.gov/labor-wfd/wages/
intro.htm](http://www.tn.gov/labor-wfd/wages/intro.htm)

The Source: More information about
occupations

www.sourcetn.org

TennCIDS: Explore career interests and
find training opportunities in Tennessee

www.tcids.utk.edu/

Occupational Outlook Handbook: Find detailed
description of job duties

www.bls.gov/oco/home.htm

America's Job Bank: Apply for jobs in the cities
or counties you want

www.ajb.org/

Teens: Are you a teen looking for a job? Start
your online job search here!

www.tn.gov/labor-wfd/youth/

Comprehensive Career Center
(Cumberland, Fentress & Pickett
Counties)

TN Career Center—Crossville
60 Ridley Street
Crossville, TN 38555
Telephone: (931) 484-7456

Affiliate Career Centers

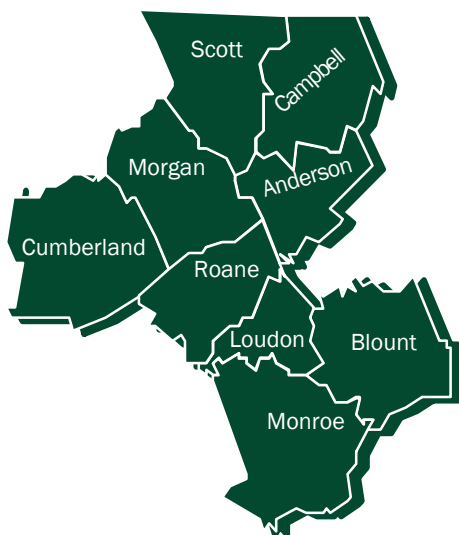
(Roane and Morgan Counties)
TN Career Center—Rockwood
1082 N. Gateway
Rockwood, TN 37854
Telephone: (865) 376-3082

(Anderson County)
TN Career Center—Oak Ridge
599 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Suite B
Oak Ridge, TN 37831-5359
Telephone: (865) 483-7474

(Campbell & Scott Counties)
TN Career Center—Jacksboro
1016 Main Street
Jacksboro, TN 37757
Telephone: (423) 566-3300

LWIA 4 Career Centers

www.tn.gov/laborwfd/cc/



Affiliate Career Centers

(Monroe County)
TN Career Center—Vonore
59B Excellence Way
Vonore, TN 37885
Telephone: (423) 884-2400

(Loudon County)
TN Career Center—Lenoir City
100 West Broadway, Suite 141
Lenoir City, TN 37771
Telephone: (865) 986-5506

(Blount County)
TN Career Center—Alcoa
366 Glascock, Suite 120
Alcoa, TN 37701
Telephone: (865) 379-5525

The Tennessee Career Centers offer free career workshops, use of computers, Internet, phones and fax machines. Staff can assist you in your job search and use tools to match your job skills to a local employer. Call your local Tennessee Career Center today. Callers with hearing impairments may use TTY (615) 532-2879. TTY 1-800-848-0298. TDD 1-800-848-0299 or TTY/TDD 711.



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